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**PATENT**

Atty. Docket No. 30788-16

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

JOHN T. HURST, ET AL.

Serial No.: 09/784,843

Filed: FEBRUARY 15, 2001

For: PROGRAMMING CONTENT  
DISTRIBUTION

Group Art Unit: 2142

Examiner: D. Blair

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**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application and the following:

- ☒ No additional claim fee is required.
- ☐ Additional fees are required as calculated and shown below:

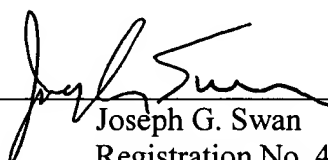
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Small Entity Rate	Small Entity Fee	Large Entity Rate	Large Entity Fee
Total	17 minus	20		x \$25.00		x \$50.00	
Independent	4 minus	8		x \$100.00		x \$200.00	
1st Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim				x \$180.00		x \$360.00	
				<b>TOTAL:</b>		<b>TOTAL:</b>	

- ☐ A Petition for [ ] One; [ ] Two; [ ] Three Month Extension of Time and the requisite fee is being filed concurrently herewith.
- ☐ Other attachments:
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-3735. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.
  - ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17.

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**AMENDMENT/RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

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This submission is made in response to the Office Action dated October 11, 2005.